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Playing and Administering of User Defined Puzzles

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 5, 2002 please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Cancel claims 1-13 as originally filed.

Please add the following new claims:

14. A method for allowing a remote computer to create, edit and access a computer game stored on an online puzzle system via the laternet, comprising:

accessing the system with the remote computer;

sending user data and game data from the remote computer to the system, the remote computer being capable of editing the user data and the game data;

applying design rules to the game data to dynamically generate a computer game; storing the generated computer game on the system; and